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For The Northern Mariana Islands
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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS

AM NURUL MONEM SARKER,
et al.,

Plaintiffs

v.

KINSHIP ENTERPRISES, INC.
and DOES I - V,

Defendants

Civil No. 07-0036

ORDER STRIKING ANSWER
and
SETTING STATUS/
SETTLEMENT CONFERENCE

Because a corporation cannot appear *pro se* in federal court, the court on its own motion strikes the answer of defendant. *See* 28 U.S.C. § 1654; Rowland v. California Men's Colony, ___ U.S. ___, 113 S.Ct. 716, 721 (1993); and, United States v. High Country Broadcasting Company, Inc., 3 Fed.3d 1244, 1245 (9th Cir. 1993).

However,

1 IT IS ORDERED that plaintiffs and their attorney and defendants appear at a
2 status/settlement conference on **Friday, January 18, 2008, at 10:00 a.m.**

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4 DATED this 9th day of January, 2008.

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8 ALEX R. MUNSON
9 Judge
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